

City of Gaithersburg Press Release

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Skate Park Luau at SummerFest on June 29

Gaithersburg, MD (June 14, 2019) The Gaithersburg Skate Park invites skateboarders, inline skaters and BMX bikers of all skill levels and ages to skate at a special luau themed night during SummerFest on Saturday, June 29. The Skate Park will open at noon for regular operation, with best trick contests and giveaways starting at 5 p.m. A Hawaiian themed luau party will take place, so be sure to wear your favorite lei. Please note that parking is extremely limited and vehicles will not be able to drive up to the Skate Park's entrance due to heightened security for SummerFest. Parking in nearby Olde Towne is recommended.

Ready...Set...Stay! Why leave Gaithersburg when you can enjoy a great "stay-cation" this summer, with visits to the Skate Park, Miniature Golf Course, and Water Park. Located within the Bohrer Park complex at 510 South Frederick Avenue, the Skate Park is the perfect place to host your next birthday party, spend a summer afternoon being active, or learn a new skill while taking a private skating lesson. Skateboarders, inline skaters and BMX bikers of all ages are encouraged to join in the fun. A variety of exciting summer programs, including School of Skate camp sessions, private instruction lessons, and other special events, will be held throughout the season. The School of Skate summer clinics, offered in four one-week sessions take place Monday through Friday from 9 a.m. to noon, create a fun and positive learning environment for skaters of all skill levels. Registration is available online or in-person at the Activity Center at Bohrer Park. Click here for more information.

All Skate Park participants must have a valid waiver in order to use the facility. Admission to the Park is free and rental equipment is available for a nominal fee. Helmets are required due to safety regulations. During the summer season, the Skate Park is open weekdays from 3 p.m. to sunset and weekends from noon to sunset, weather permitting. For more information please call 301-258-6350 or e-mail skatepark@gaithersburgmd.gov. Learn more about the Gaithersburg Skate Park at www.gaithersburgmd.gov.

Please note: The Skate Park will be closed in the event of rain or excessive heat.